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WAS A BIG MEETING.

The Suffragists Held Another of Their Great Assemblages

AT HAMILTON HALL LAST NIGHT.

A Great Deal of Advice and Some Threats for the Populists If They Ignore Suffrage.

About 2,500 people crowded into Hamilton hall last night and perspired and fanned, and then perspired some more, while the Populist lights of the equal suffrage movement expressed confidence that their friends, the Populists, will not forget them in their platform.

The people in the hall were many of them strangers, and not all of them needed yellow badges to signify that they had left the plow down, on the farm long enough to respond to the call of Farmer Breidenthal. There were many home people there.

The meeting was called by the Woman's Progressive Political League of Topeka to give the Populist women of Kansas a chance to put a few finishing touches to their case before it goes to the jury today.

Bina A. Otis, whose husband was in congress, presided on the occasion, and found it very hard to talk loud enough to make everybody hear.

Mrs. Carrie Lane Chapman Catt was the principal speaker. She spoke here two weeks ago. She "has come back," as the popular song has it, and everybody is glad she has.

Mrs. Catt is a superb orator. Her language and choice of words are models. Among other things Mrs. Catt said the Republican state convention didn't represent the rank and file of the party.

"It was a packed convention from beginning to end and the Populists will drive the last nail in their coffin if they follow the example of the Republicans." This provoked the loudest applause of the evening.

Mrs. Catt, while not an avowed Populist, admitted that the women owe a debt of gratitude to that party, especially in Colorado. She called equal suffrage "taking a truck out of the constitution," which is getting too small for a growing people.

Mrs. C. Ingersoll Tucker of Cherryvale, who looks like Mrs. Hillman, said that with equal suffrage this country would be a fit dwelling place for the undeveloped. She added that the forefathers who tried to plant a free country here had failed because the nation wasn't built on the foundation of truth.

Mrs. E. W. Crum of Burlington, said equal suffrage was a natural growth and could not be retarded. She said also that the present unrest was just as natural as that a baby should be born when something is wrong. She concluded with a poem something about those who "dared and tried."

Eva L. Corning, the youngest campaigner, who is also a very good elocutionist, said, "There is no use to preach the golden rule when one half of the human race is deprived of its rights."

Women have passed the mile-post of superstition and the world is on the threshold of an upheaval of thought." She said regarding the question of the "bad women vote," that if the men would look after the bad men vote the women would take care of the bad women vote and not have so much to do, either.

Elizabeth Wardall of Dakota, spoke on "Women vs. the Sioux Indians."

Mrs. A. P. Stryker, of Great Bend, who wore a swell dress that looked like one of Worth's, and is a very pretty woman, talked about "political sense." She said if there was any man in Kansas who could tell what the Republican party stood for except irrigation she would like to see him. She said the late convention was run by the "machine."

Emma Trowler, president of the Osage County Alliance, spoke on "The Office Seeker." She is a comfortable looking lady of middle age and talks slowly. She described the office seeker as a beggar on the political highway.

Mrs. Anna Champ, editor of the Anderson county "Sunflower," who is a very bright little lady, made a good talk about "Backbone."

Fannie R. Vickery, who is also pretty, spoke bravely about "Our Foremothers," and then announced a collection, during which a trio composed of two young women and one old man sang, "Look Out Dar Now, de Women's Gwine to Vote."

Mrs. Annie Diggs was the last speaker. She said, "The snubbing of Mrs. Laura Johns on this platform last week by the

Republicans was the most shameful thing I ever saw. I am sorry for her, but she ought to know better than to be a Republican." She added that the Populist women didn't expect to be snubbed.

SNAP SHOTS AT HOME NEWS.

A delegate's opinion of Mrs. Chapman Catt, "My; but she's a daisy."

Frank Sheldon is keeping score for the Kansas State Sportsmen's shoot.

One delegate to the Populist convention wears a silk hat. Put him out.

Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Powell left this morning for Ottawa to attend the Bible school.

One of the earnest advocates of a suffrage plank is Mrs. Wm. Stryker of Great Bend.

"You can nominate Lewelling," said a delegate, "but you can't elect him in November."

Mrs. E. J. Cartledge has gone to Aspen, Colorado, to organize a branch of the ladies G. A. R.

The false moustache man was on the street last evening trying to work the youthful, beardless Populist.

The women are responsible for the Populist badges being yellow. Yellow is the woman's suffrage color.

A Topeka amateur singer who has been found out, often sings at three or four different places in an evening.

There must be a teachers' institute in town," said a man this morning; "there are so many pretty girls going past."

There are no Republicans in town today, and the Copeland has seized the opportunity to have its front porch painted.

The Union Veterans league will ratify the nominations of the Republican state convention at the court house Thursday night.

One of the Populist delegates was seen today wearing a delegate badge on one side and a woman suffrage badge on the other.

Capt. J. S. White who was a prominent farmer of Mission township, is a delegate from Arkansas City where he is engaged in farming.

Tomorrow evening George Bright will sing a solo at the United Christian Endeavor meeting at the First Congregational church.

Miss Viola Troutman is acting secretary of the Y. W. C. A., while Miss Emma Burgess is attending the Summer Bible school at Ottawa.

The man who is in town today with a linen duster and a look of astonishment, and with a railway check in his hat, is a Populist delegate.

Dick Chase came over from the penitentiary yesterday and brought the board of penitentiary directors with him to prove that his record is clean.

The Populist delegates go about in squads as though they feared there might be a Republican uprising. It may be, however, that they are simply afraid of Miss Anthony.

Ingleside's May Report.

The report of the matron of Ingleside for the month of May shows that 350 meals and 113 lodgings have been given in charity. The number in family was 24; of these 12 were charity. The board of managers wish to return thanks for various donations, especially to the ladies of the First Presbyterian church for cakes and coffee; to the Columbian association for their generous gift of money, fine library table, one settee and eleven chairs.

Campaign Suffrage Meeting.

There will be a suffrage meeting at the Congregational church in North Topeka this evening. E. A. Wagener will preside and the address will be made by Willis Gleed. A campaign suffrage club is to be organized and it is understood that M. T. Campbell will be its president.

LOCAL MENTION.

A burglar got into Steinberg's store at 601 Kansas avenue yesterday afternoon through the rear door and stole several pairs of trousers.

The Rescue society meets tonight in the office of Dr. Barnes. It has been organized for the protection of young girls and the sustaining of moral laws.

Nate Williams says that he was not fined \$10 in police court as reported, and that he was not locked up. He does not expect to pay any fine in the case brought against him by Ada Burch.

The girls in the city prison, Mary Wade, Anna Smith, Carrie Alexander and Nellie Bailey, have made four quilts. None of them use thimbles. Mary Wade, who pieced two of the four, has only the thumb and little finger on the right hand.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Items of Interest About Topeka People and Visitors in Town.

At noon today the marriage of Miss Myna L. Hentig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Hentig, and Mr. Archie Kellam was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents on Tyler street. As the hands of the clock reached the hour of 12 the bride and groom entered the parlor to the music of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Mrs. Will Shearor, and were met under the chandelier, from which was suspended a pure white dove, by the officiating clergyman, Rev. L. Blakesley. Little Rhea Cashman, in a dainty white silk frock, as maid of honor held the bride's bouquet during the ring ceremony, and after congratulations were offered, a wedding breakfast was served.

The bride wore a stylish traveling costume of grey checked suiting with sleeves, yoke and high collar of grey satin brocaded in various shades of green. Her hat was of grey straw with loops of green velvet and bandeau of pink roses, and gloves and shoes on suit.

The house was prettily adorned for the occasion with flowers and trailing vines; the balustrade in the hall was twined with daisies and plumosus, and in the first parlor the decorations were white and green, while the second parlor was particularly dainty in pink roses and honeysuckles.

A punch bowl in the door of the music room was presided over by Master Freddie Wilson.

A very handsome array of presents were displayed in a room at the head of the stairs.

The young people left at once for Excelsior Springs, and after a short trip will be at home, at 615 Tyler street, about June 26.

Fifty friends and relatives were present to witness the ceremony, and telegrams of congratulation were received from a distance.

Mr. Kellam is chief mailing clerk at the postoffice, which position he has held for a number of years, and his bride is a charming girl with many friends to wish her happiness.

General Social Notes.

Miss Violet Stuart entertained the "Duo Demoir" club Friday evening at her home in Highland Park. The presiding officers are F. H. Curry, Miss Alida Otis, Miss Alice Potter, E. F. Hicwell and C. T. Flanders.

Frank McFadden went to the City of Mexico today.

Miss Cora Miller spent Saturday in Kansas City.

Miss Lillie Reeves, of Trinidad, Col., is the guest of Miss Anna Umpleby.

Ten young ladies who are interested in Christ's hospital, will give a reception Thursday afternoon, from 4 till 6, at the home of the Misses Price, on Western avenue.

The families of I. N. and N. R. Baker have gone to the mountains, and will be joined by parties from Denver and St. Louis, to spend a month or so camping.

Mrs. P. M. Shearor and daughters Nina and Lulu, will go to Des Moines, Iowa, next month, to spend the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. S. B. Hovey and daughter Berline are spending a few days in Kansas City.

Miss Smiley of Bethany, will return to her home today, and Miss Hooley will go to Denver Saturday.

Mrs. O. W. Blood went to California today to spend the summer.

About ten couples will enjoy a moonlight picnic at Martin's hill Thursday evening.

Miss Martha McCoy is expected home from Emporia the latter part of this week.

Miss Bertha Ellis of Carbondale, is spending the day with Miss Mary Sutherland.

Mrs. J. D. Walker and daughter Mary will leave Thursday for Philadelphia and other eastern cities, for a three month's visit.

Glen Phinney of Neosho Falls, is visiting his brother, Warren Phinney, at Washburn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bishop have come up from Neosho Falls to attend the Washburn commencement. Their daughter, Miss Minnie, takes a diploma in vocal music.

Mrs. Arthur Lacey has returned from Colorado Springs.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Miss Mame Stover and Mr. Harry Post, in Denver, Thursday, June 14. Miss Stover formerly lived in Topeka.

Mrs. Geo. Hubbard and son will go to New York the latter part of next week to spend the summer.

Miss Delany Lakia will leave Thursday

for New York, and her brother Burr will accompany her as far as Chicago.

Miss Wilder, of Atchison, is the guest of Miss Walsh for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Copeland and family went to Chicago today for a three week's visit.

Mrs. A. A. Hurd will entertain on Wednesday evening for Miss Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wolf went to Osage City today.

Miss Anna Umpleby has returned from Kansas City.

J. Shull has gone to Las Vegas. Judge and Mrs. N. C. McFarland have gone to Springfield, O.

Lee Price of Kansas City, spent Sunday and Monday in town.

Miss Harriet Broad will go to Chicago tomorrow, where Miss Alice Davidson will join her and they will go to Worcester, Mass., to spend the summer.

Misses Grace Atwood and Helen Halm are spending a week in Kansas City.

Mrs. J. K. Hudson and Mrs. Dell Keizer have returned from Colorado.

W. Mc A. Green has gone to St. Louis, where he has taken a position, and Mrs. Green will join him soon to make it their home.

Miss Clemmie Linn is very ill with an attack of malarial fever, at her home on West Sixth street.

Miss Myra Williams entertained a few young people very informally last evening for Miss Minnie Peck.

H. C. Lannan of Olathe is in town for a few days.

The High School Science club will hold its regular meeting on Friday evening, June 15, at 7:45 p. m., in room 9 at the High School. Members will be present with some short article to read.

Mrs. W. H. Brubaker went to Horton yesterday to organize a lodge of the Degree of Pochontas.

Miss Linna Wyatt has gone to Ohio for an extended visit.

Miss Elizabeth Pennell of Atchison is the guest of Mrs. J. G. Wood.

Mr. Kellam is chief mailing clerk at the postoffice, which position he has held for a number of years, and his bride is a charming girl with many friends to wish her happiness.

THE NEW CASTLE GARDEN.

Congressional Committee to Visit Ellis Island to Get Feels.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—This week has been decided upon by the house committee of immigration for its visit to Ellis island to secure information on the subject of regulations under the new law.

Secretary Geissenhainer was at Ellis island Saturday and Sunday and saw the landing and inspection of 400 arrivals from Russia and 130 from Ireland. Most of them went west, some to California and a few were tagged through to their friends.

Speaking of the intended trip Representative Geissenhainer said: "There is one defect in the present law the committee desires to remedy. We cannot connect the contract laborer with the employer. He is sent back home and then your witness is gone. The employer rather than the laborer is the one who should be punished for these violations of the laws. Emigrants cannot complain that injustice is marked however, for placards are posted in the world, think the decrease is due to the law. Every large manufacturing country is experiencing the same depression we are, so that as conditions of business are equal the decrease must be due to another agency."

"Under the new law 1,200 men have been returned in a year, where 400 were returned under the old. Another question which the committee partly considers within its power to investigate, but which congress should be enlightened upon is whether the labor troubles of recent years (those of which the Homestead strike may be taken as the best example) are due to contract labor, or natural causes. If contract labor is responsible, we know what to do. If they arise from natural causes every case should have its own remedy."

Parties going to Emporia will find the Leland Hotel, opposite Santa Fe depot, a first-class house on American and European plan. Lunch counter and restaurant open all night.

If dull spiritless and sluggish: If your blood is thick and sluggish: If your appetite is capricious and uncertain. You need a Sarasaparilla. For best results take De Witt's. It recommends itself. J. K. Jones.

AMERICA MUST ACT.

Fizzle of the Berlin Silver Conference—Bryan Tells a Story.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—The adjournment of the Berlin silver commission, without making a definite recommendation, is a subject of more or less comment among senators and members who take interest in the silver question since the result was announced. The news is somewhat of a disappointing nature to those who had been hopeful that the commission would pave the way to an international conference which should proceed without the co-operation of Great Britain, but the advocates of an independent financial policy for this country do not share the disappointment.

In referring to the announcement from Berlin, Senator Teller said that he regretted the fact that no recommendation favorable to silver had been made.

"The commission was," he said, "the outgrowth of the discontent among the agrarian classes, and was appointed by the government in response to the strong pro-silver sentiment in the agricultural section of Germany. I have never understood that it was expected to do more than collect information in regard to the situation, or if it was the original purpose that the commission should make a recommendation, I think that was abandoned some time since."

"The proceedings of the commission are public, I understand, and of course will be of benefit to the silver cause to the extent that they educate the masses of the German people. I should have been gratified if the commission had led to an international meeting but it was hardly to be hoped in view of the declaration of the German representatives at the Brussels conference, that Germany would soon reverse her position and enter into a conference of this question in which England did not participate. Outside of the educating effect of the publication of the proceedings, I do not think the work of the commission will have any effect unless it be to increase the conviction, which is already growing in this country that the United States will have to take this question in hand and act independently of other nations."

The silver leaders in the house say that the adjournment of the Berlin conference without definite results is another evidence that the United States must execute her own financial policy, without waiting for foreign nations. Some of the Republican leaders of the house, who have recently become identified with the restoration of silver ideas, express regret that more was not accomplished at Berlin.

Burrows takes this view of the failure and says that it shows that Germany is similarly situated to the United States, in that she cannot act alone. This being recognized here and in Germany, Mr. Burrows says it hastens the time when silver using nations will come together in concerted action.

Representative Bryan, the lieutenant of Mr. Bland was moved by the failure of the Berlin conference to tell a story. It reminded him of the partridge which had her nest in the wheat. The farmer threatened to bring his neighbor and cut the wheat, but the bird said to her young, "We need not move yet." The neighbor failed to help the farmer so he turned to his intimate friend to help him cut the wheat. Again the bird said: "We need not move yet." But the friend failed to help the farmer. Thereupon the farmer got mad and said he would cut the wheat himself. Thereupon the bird said: "It is time for us to move."

After telling the story Mr. Bryan added: "As long as we wait for Germany and England nothing will be done toward restoring silver, but as soon as we recognize that the interests of our people are submitted to the wishes of foreign countries and act ourselves, the sooner will silver be restored to its former place on an equality with gold and the sooner will prosperity return to our industries."

SUNSTROKES IN NEW YORK.

Ten People Are Sunstruck—Two Are Reported Dead.

New York, June 12.—A terrific hot spell has struck New York, the thermometer ranging as high as 93.

The following persons were prostrated by the heat, and treated at the city hospital:

Fisher Lyman, 60 years, overcome at Broadway and Chambers street, taken to Chambers street hospital; Thomas Hogan, 18 years old, became ill at 498th street and Second avenue, sent to Flower hospital; Frederick Hoffman, 55 years old, overcome at Third avenue and 14th street, removed to Harlem hospital; John Kaufman, 33 years old, overcome in front of No. 1068 Sixth avenue, removed to Roosevelt hospital; J. Manning, 53 years old, found front of 31 Park Row; taken to Chambers street hospital; Thomas McGuro, forty years old, taken sick on the pier at the foot of Spring street, was removed to St. Vincent's hospital; Robert McDonald, fifty years old, overcome at the corner of Canal and the Bowery, was removed to Chambers street hospital; John Sweeney, twenty-three years old, prostrated at No. 49 Church street, was taken to Chambers street hospital.

Two persons died in Brooklyn from the intense heat.

Red Hot in Illinois.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., June 12.—The heat yesterday was almost unprecedented in this county and much suffering has resulted. The mercury was close to the 100 mark all day. All the crops are suffering extremely from the long continued drought.

ASSUMPTION, Ill., June 12.—Yesterday was the hottest day of the season. The mercury registered 97 degrees in the shade. It is good corn weather, but rain is needed badly.

Begin at Home.

Mrs. Suffrage—It's woman's highest mission to correct the crying evils of the time.

Mr. Suffrage (mildly)—Then wouldn't you better spank those twins and put them to bed before they yell the roof off?—Life.

All Gone.

Nodd—I lost \$4 yesterday.

Todd—How's that?

Nodd—I made a mistake and gave my wife a \$5 bill when I thought it was \$1.—New York World.

"Bucking the Tiger."

—Life's Calendar.

The Source.

Mrs. Baldwin (paying a visit at Wynham's country home)—Why, Percy, how tanned you are!

Percy (frankly)—Yes. Papa done it.—Brooklyn Life.

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